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SUBJECT: PLANNED CELEBRATIONS FOR TENTH ANNIVERSARY OF JERUSALEM'S
REUNIFICATION

1. JERUSALEM POST DECEMBER 29 REPORTS THAT MAJOR
FESTIVITIES ARE PLANNED TO CELEBRATE TENTH ANNIVERSARY
OF THE REUNIFICATION OF JERUSALEM BEGINNING ON ISRAELI
INDEPENDENCE DAY (APRIL 21) AND CONCLUDING ON MAY 16
(TENTH ANNIVERSARY BY HEBREW CALENDAR OF REUNIFICATION
OF JERUSALEM). AMONG EVENTS WHICH ARE PLANNED ARE
THE ANNUAL JERUSALEM MARCH THROUGH THE GATES OF THE
OLD CITY, ART EXHIBITIONS, AN INTERNATIONAL BOOK FAIR,
A CONCERT BY THE ISRAELI SYMPHONY AND OFFICIAL
DEDICATION OF THE RESTORED JEWISH QUARTER OF THE OLD CITY.

2. JERUSALEM MAYOR KOLLEK AT DECEMBER 8 PRESS CONFERENCE,
IN DISCUSSING CELEBRATION, NOTED THAT THE REUNIFICATION
OF JERUSALEM WAS "IRREVERSIBLE HISTORICAL FACT."
KOLLEK WENT ON TO NOTE THAT A POLITICAL SOLUTION FOR
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JERUSALEM WAS NOT A MUNICIPAL PROBLEM, BUT HE ADDED
THAT, "WE HAVE KEPT OPTIONS OPEN IN THE CITY; WE
HAVE SHOWN THAT PEOPLE WITH DIFFERENT POLITICAL
ASPIRATIONS CAN LIVE TOGETHER AND BETTER THAN WHEN
THE CITY WAS DIVIDED."
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